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A. GLEN, M. W.

S. H. KOOKER, R.

Gold at 1 p. m. 113

In Petroleum Centre, as in every other town, there are some exceedingly small and narrow minded people—people whom we verily believe, if their souls were placed in one side of a pair of scales would be weighed down by a grain of mustard placed in the opposite side; who would skin a flea for the hide and tallow, or take the pennies off a dead relative's eyes and endeavor to pass them for quarters. An instance as illustrative of these little contracted people is too good to keep. A few days since a certain individual, living and doing business not a thousand miles away, sent word to us by the carrier boy, that unless we stopped publishing their lies, he should stop taking the Record, etc. After a week's close study and an examination of every mathematical work to be got hold of, besides poring over our account books for hours, we find that the Record has been published in this town nearly four years, and in that time said individual has purchased five (5) copies thereof, at a fearful expense of twenty-five (25) cents in government scrip, and withal said party is doing a good business and reputed wealthy. We thank him for thus liberally patronizing us. Had it not been for that scrip, we feel sure our doom would have been sealed long ago and a miserable death been our portion. And yet we live, thanks to the liberal hearted business men of the town; the carrier still makes his daily rounds, and said peanut hearted man with the hazel nut cranium, it is said, starts and exclaims when he sees the boy—"Why, bless me, I thought that paper was dead; I stopped it last week!"

A few days since, Mr. Frank Bovee, an engineer at one of the wells on the McCray farm, had his right hand badly smashed. He was engaged in putting new packing in a gas pump, and for that purpose had taken the top of the pump off and had it suspended to the walking beam with a piece of rope when suddenly it broke, and the heavy top fell, two of the bolts striking the back of his hand and passing nearly through crushing the flesh and making a ghastly wound. His physician thinks the injury will not be permanent.

From the Venango Spectator we copy the following in regard to the Stoerber murder trial. Stoerber, it will be remembered is the young man that killed young Gibson, at Rynd farm, in March last, an account of which was published in the Record at that time:

Edwin Stoerber—Indicted for the murder of Robert Gibson at Rynd farm on the 4th of last March. The jury found a verdict of guilty of voluntary manslaughter. Sentenced to six months in the county jail and to pay a fine of \$1.

[This is one of the saddest cases ever tried in Venango county. Edwin Stoerber and Robert Gibson were both attending the same school, and both were between 17 and 18 years of age. The fatal affair occurred just after the afternoon session of school. From the evidence in the case—which is too voluminous for us to publish—it appears that Stoerber asked Gibson for some black ink during the school hours, and that some flip-pant words passed between the two, which resulted in an odious epithet from Gibson and a threat to whip Stoerber after school was over. When the school was out Gibson went out first and Stoerber followed. Gibson called upon Stoerber to fight, which Stoerber declined. This was repeated two or three times, when Gibson struck Stoerber, clinched with him and threw him to the ground. While Stoerber was in this position he took from his pocket a knife—which he had borrowed to sharpen his lead pencil—and stabbed his assailant two or three times in the leg near the thigh and once in the arm. Gibson got up and said "I'm killed," and as Stoerber was getting up, kicked him in the face. Stoerber, as soon as he got to his feet, started on a run for home, Gibson followed for a short distance when he fainted from loss of blood. He died in a few days. Stoerber is said to be a quiet, inoffensive boy. He was endeavoring to get an education in English, being already fairly educated in his native tongue—German—and after working from midnight until noon at running an engine would attend the afternoon session of the Rynd farm school.]

An old toper, standing on Washington street, night before last, soliloquized to himself as follows:

"Well, here I am, dead broke; lem'me see, what shall I do; can't lay out of doors to-night as it rains; if I go to a second class house ten to one the landlord will put me out; I have it. I'll go to the best hotel in town and order the best the house affords; the landlord will not suspect me for a dead beat; and once more, cheek, which has carried me through many a tight place, even though I did get kicked out afterwards, will see me through this scrape; so here's a go for bed, board and a drink of old rye."

And of he started, singing "Rolling home in the morning, boys," apparently satisfied that he was at least safe for one night.

IMPORTANT—In accordance with the letter published last week from Hon. S. Griffith, in regard to appointments to the military and navy academies. Rev. S. M. Eaton, D. D., Dr. Loomis, and Hon. John Trunkley, the committee named to conduct the examination, will perform that duty at the Court House, in Franklin, on Monday May 6th, at 10 o'clock, where all desiring to be examined should present themselves.

The Central House has recently been repapered, painted and whitewashed throughout, consequently presents a neat and inviting appearance. Messrs. Cross & McOmber, the gentlemanly proprietors, are ever alive to the wants and comfort of their guests.

This cold snap is a good thing for the coal trade.

Mease & Armstrong have received another car load of that nice flour.

The boat containing Jerome Aiken's Opera House, which ran aground near Roseville recently, has been unloaded and transported the balance of the distance to Petersburg by rail.

The origin of the Chicago fire is now traced to a Justice of the Peace named Haines, who in a suit between Mr. O'Leary and somebody else, decided that the stable in which the fire originated belonged to O'Leary, thus enabling him to quarter the cow in the building.

Ledger Bonner spent \$100,000 in advertising his new story, "Mark Herber's Luck." But of course it "won't pay!" Advertising never does, and Bonner should have found it out by this time.

The prevailing topic of conversation is the Cincinnati Convention, and who stands the best chance of securing the nomination. The candidates are Greeley, Davis, Brown, Curtin, Trumbull, Adams, Susan B. Anthony and George Francis Train. May the best man win.

Two new derricks have recently been put up near the old Shermae well. Drilling will commence soon.

Court Proceedings.

The regular term of the several Courts of this county convened on Monday, April 22d, with petit jurors for the trial of criminal cases.

The following cases have been disposed of:

Miko Saine—There were two indictments against this defendant to which he plead guilty; one for selling liquor without license, on which he was sentenced to pay a fine of \$50 and costs; the other for keeping a disorderly house on which he was sentenced to pay a fine of \$50 and costs and undergo an imprisonment in the county jail for the period of ten days.

John Hale—Indicted for selling liquor without a licence, plead guilty and sentenced to pay a fine of \$50 and costs.

Thomas Gealy and B. Grace—Indictment, nuisance; tried and verdict of guilty as to Thomas Gealy and not guilty as to B. Grace.

Abraham Grim—Indictment, nuisance; defendant pleaded guilty.

Jane Williams—Charge, surety of the peace; nol. pros. entered on payment of costs and entering into bond to keep the peace for one year.

Thomas Shay—Indictment keeping a disorderly house; defendant pleaded guilty and was sentenced to pay a fine of one dollar and costs and undergo imprisonment in the jail for thirty days.

Jacob Nellie—Indictment, assault and battery; tried and verdict of guilty of an assault.

John Books and Henry Books—Two indictments, one for malicious mischief and the other for sending threatening letters; tried on both indictments and verdict of not guilty.

Com. vs. Israel H. Shaffer. Indictment, perjury. Verdict of not guilty but the defendant pay one-third of the costs, and the prosecutor two-thirds.

Com. vs. Geo. Warner, Henry Burke and Zelepo. Indictment, riot. Verdict, not guilty but defendants pay costs.

Com. vs. Mary French. Indictment keeping bawdy house. Verdict not guilty, but she pay one third of the costs, and the prosecutor two-thirds.

Com. vs. E. F. Corrien. Indictment, selling liquor without license. Verdict, not guilty but that he pay three-fourths of the costs and prosecutor one-fourth.

Com. vs. Isadore Marks, Herman Marks, Sol. Bloomingdale, and Morris Levi. Indictment, larceny and receiving stolen goods. Nol. pros. entered as to Morris Levi who turned States evidence, but his testimony was broken down, and a verdict of not guilty rendered.

The Patent office has given notice that hereafter applications for registration of a trademark must contain a statement of what county the applicant is a native, and that an alleged invention must not before have been known and used by others in this country; and that it has not been described in any printed book or other publication.

Oil is moving lively in our section, both for spot and futures. \$3 55 was offered for 1,000 regular last evening and refused. Messrs. Fisher Brothers bought the following lots yesterday: 1,000 spot, at Tidouste, \$3 50; 2,000, at Tidouste, at buyers option, to August at \$4 00; 2,000 at Eganades, line of 1,000 each month from May to December inclusive at \$3 45 to 4 15 averaging \$3 80.—[Tidouste Journal.]

In Indianapolis they have a wonder. A little orphan child, sent West by the Children's Aid Society, and adopted in that hooper capital, gets up in her sleep and plays the piano most beautifully, though in her waking moments she "knows no touch of it." At these times she is possessed by the spirit of her mother, who was a French music teacher, and died of starvation in New York. The child is slowly but surely feeding under the influence of her midnight music lessons, and will soon be with her mother.

There was quite a fall of snow last night, accompanied with a heavy frost.

Last week another well was completed by Prentice, Crawford, Barbour & Co., on the Stroman farm, which is yielding 39 barrels of oil per day.

On Saturday, a well on the James Foster farm, owned by Watson, Pitcock & Co., commenced pumping at the rate of 160 barrels per day, and at last accounts the production had not decreased.

Messrs. Patterson & Dickey will soon commence drilling two new wells on their lease on the Foster farm.

Maj. James F. Mackey, of this city, is again in luck, being the fortunate owner of an oil well, recently struck on the Foster Farm, four miles below this city, and about one-half mile from the river, which is producing 30 barrels per day. This strike opens up a large field of new territory, and causes considerable excitement.

[Venango Citizen.]

Seventh Annual Meeting of the Buffalo Driving Park.—Premium—\$60,000.

Commencing Tuesday, August 6th, and continuing four days.

FIRST DAY.

No. 1, Purse \$1,000—For four year olds and under; \$600, \$300, \$100.

No. 2, Purse \$10,000—For horses that have never trotted better than 2 27; \$2,500, \$1,500, \$1,000.

No. 3, Purse \$4,000—For horses that have never trotted better than 2 40; \$2,000, \$1,000, \$600, \$400.

SECOND DAY.

No. 4, Purse \$1,500—For horses that have never trotted better than 3 minutes; \$900, \$450, \$150.

No. 5, \$5,000—For horses that have never trotted better than 2 21, bar Lucy: \$2,500, \$1,250, \$750, \$500.

No. 6, Purse \$5,000—For horses that have never trotted better than 2 44; \$2,500, \$1,250, \$750, \$500.

THIRD DAY.

No. 7, Purse \$1,500—For five year olds and under; \$900, \$450, \$150.

No. 8, Purse \$10,000—For horses that have never trotted better than 2 30; \$5,000, \$2,500, \$1,500, \$1,000.

No. 9, Purse \$2,000—For horses that have never trotted better than 2 50; \$1,300, \$500, \$200.

FOURTH DAY.

No. 10, Purse \$10,000—For horses that have never trotted better than 2 25; \$5,000, \$2,500, \$1,500, \$1,000.

No. 11, Purse \$10,000—For all horses; \$5,000, \$3,500, \$1,500, \$1,000.

CONDITIONS.

Entries (except for purses Nos. 1 and 7) will close at Tid House, Buffalo, on Saturday, July 29th, at 9 o'clock P. M.

Entries for purses Nos. 1 and 7 close on Wednesday, May 1st, at 9 P. M., and must be accompanied by five per cent. of purse, which will be forfeited unless five per cent. additional is paid on Saturday, July 27th.

A new well near the railroad track, between Miller farm and Sbafer, has commenced drilling. There is probably good territory in that vicinity.

THE HUMAN ROOF AND ITS THATCHING.

If the man deserves well of his country who makes two blades of grass grow where only one grew before, surely he who produced a glorious crop of hair on a comparatively barren scalp deserves the hearty thanks of the obliged party. All honor, therefore, to Professor E. T. Lyon, for unquestionably, his renowned Katharion accomplishes this object. Gentlemen whose whiskers are shy of making their appearance in force, or the fibers of whose mustaches disclose those magnificent distances for which Washington City was once so famous, will find this Hair Persuader the most wonderful encourager of fibrous development that has ever yet been invented. Both sexes are advised to use it, as, by all odds, it is the best article for improving the growth and beauty of the hair, keeping it free from scurf and dandruff, preventing it from becoming harsh, dry and gray—giving it a rich gloss and endowing it with flexibility—that Toilet Chemistry has ever evolved from the vegetable kingdom.

MARRIED.

At the residence of bride's parents, April 30th, 1872, by the Rev. P. W. Scofield, Miss Clara Thompson to Mr. Emmous Williams.

Local Notices.

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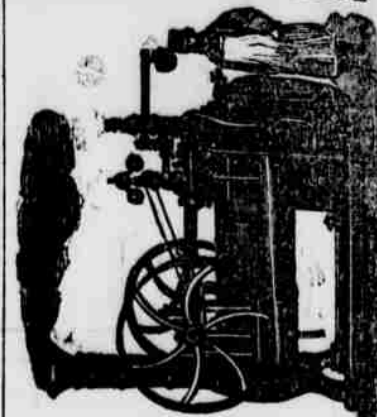
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